



# Community Services Department

The Town of Buckeye Community Services Department will be hosting the following programs and activities for the months of **June, July and August.**

*The Mission of the Community Services Department is to preserve, protect and provide the programs, facilities and parks that enhance the quality of life in Buckeye.*

## Letter From The Director Jeanine Guy:

One of our Department's major accomplishments has been the completion of a comprehensive Parks, Trails and Open Space Master Plan. This plan was adopted by council in December of 2005.

Buckeye is in the wonderful position of being surrounded by beautiful mountains, rivers and desert open spaces. This plan will help us preserve and maintain these spaces, plan for regional park space and begin to establish a trail system that links park and regional trail systems. Buckeye's response to identifying and creating its future park and open space inventory should yield a balance that leads to a strong sense of place, ample and diverse facilities for all, and quantifiable results. The Town of Buckeye has established a desired Level of Service of 7 acres of parks per 1,000 population for "close to home" park spaces which includes pocket parks, neighborhood parks, community parks and large municipal parks/sports complexes. For the first time we have a tool guiding parks planning principals to provide exceptional parks and recreational places for Buckeye's residents. In this document we have also adopted an implementation plan which clearly establishes measures that will lead to the fulfillment of goals established in the plan.

This plan will help to ensure that Buckeye retains a sense of place tied to its natural and cultural surroundings. Not only will it encourage the development of traditional parks and open space systems, it will advance the idea of rural preservation and agrarian park systems – working farms. Through this vision, Buckeye can be a community that respects both urban and natural functions, making it a pleasant and successful place for people to live, learn, and work.

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**Contact Miranda Bearden at**

**623-386-2588 x29 or**

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# Aquatic Programs

## SUMMER SWIM LESSONS

Resident Fee: \$20

Non-Resident Fee: \$30

Registration for Swim Lessons, Swim and Dive Teams:

May 13 Time: 8:00-11:00 a.m. (At the Aquatics Center)

For more information on Swim and Dive Teams, please refer to the bottom of this page

Monday-Thursday	Session 1 June 5-June 15	Session 2 June 19--June 28	Session 3 July 3-July 13 Closed July 4	Session 4 July 17-July 27
9:00-9:30 a.m. (Monday-Wednesday)	Mom & Tot	Mom & Tot	Mom & Tot	Mom & Tot
10:00-10:30 a.m.	Tadpole	Tadpole	Tadpole	Tadpole
11:00-11:30 a.m.	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Level 5 Level 6	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Level 5 Level 6	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Level 5 Level 6	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Level 5 Level 6
12:00-12:30 p.m.	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Level 5 Level 6	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Level 5 Level 6	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Level 5 Level 6	Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Level 5 Level 6

### Mom & Tot

This class is for children ages 9 months-2 years who are accompanied by an adult. Children should wear swim diapers.

### Tadpoles:

This class is for children ages 3-4 who are accompanied by an adult. In this class children will get comfortable with water.

### Level 1: Introduction to Water Skills

Children will learn to submerge their mouth, nose and eyes and follow basic water safety rules.

### Level 2: Fundamental Aquatic Skills

Children will perform front and back glide, tread water using arm and leg motions and jump from the side of the pool.

### Level 3: Stroke Development

Children will learn to dive, survival float, and will build confidence in their strokes.

### Level 4: Stroke Improvement

Children will shallow and surface dive, learn open turns, breast stroke, butterfly, and front and back crawl.

### Level 5: Stroke Refinement

Children will learn standing, pike surface, shallow and tuck surface dives along with front and backstroke flip turns and the sidestroke.

### Level 6: Swimming & Skill Proficiency

Children will learn fitness swimming, lifeguard readiness and water safety.

## Buckeye Aquatics Center

207 N. 9th St

623-386-7760

### Open Swim:

May 26-August 19, 2006

1:00-6:00 p.m. Monday-Friday

1:00-6:00 p.m. Saturdays

### Admission Charges:

General Admission:

\$2.00/person

Group Rates (20+):

\$1.50/person

Aerobics/Lap Swim:

\$1.00/person

Season Passes:

\$50.00/person

\$150.00/family

### Lap Swim &

### Water Aerobics Hours:

7:00-8:00 a.m. Monday-Friday

\$1 per day

### Family Night:

Monday Nights starting Monday,

June 5 from 6:00-9:00 p.m. **All**

**children must be accompanied by an adult!**

### Pool Rentals:

The pool can be rented in the evening from 6:00-9:00 p.m.

Tuesday-Saturday. The cost is

\$100/hour.

**American Red Cross Lifeguard Training Class** Are you 15 or older and looking for a great summer job? The American Red Cross Lifeguard Training Class is being offered through the Buckeye Aquatics Center. This 30 hour class is for people wanting to become certified or for lifeguards who need to renew their certification. **American Red Cross Lifeguard certification is necessary for all Town of Buckeye Lifeguards.**

### Registration Information:

**Cost:** \$75 1st Time

\$25 renewal

**Dates:** May 1-May 12

Monday-Friday

**Times:** 5:00-8:00 p.m.

Classes will take place at the Buckeye Aquatics Center located at 207 N. 9th St.

For more information call 623-386-7760

### American Red Cross Lifeguard Training Requirements

- Must be 15 years of age or older
- Must be able to swim 500 yards non-stop
- Must be able to retrieve a weight from the bottom of the deep end of the pool
- Must attend all classes
- Must pass a water skills test and a written test with a score of at least 80%

**Bullfrog Swim Team** The Buckeye Bullfrogs Swim Team participate in the MarWest League throughout June and July.

Practice will be Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday and will start on Monday, May 15. To be on the team, you must be able to swim across the deep end of the pool unassisted. **Swim team sign up will be on May 13 8:00-11:00 a.m. at the Aquatics Center. The cost is \$35. Call Kath Choitz at 623-393-8098 for more information.**

### Buckeye Bullfrogs Practice Schedule May 15-26

4:00-5:00 p.m.	7-10 years of age
5:00-6:00 p.m.	6 years of age & under
5:00-6:00 p.m.	11 years of age and over

### Buckeye Bullfrogs Practice Schedule May 29-July 20

8:00-9:00 a.m.	High School Level
9:00-10:00 a.m.	6 years of age and under
9:00-10:00 a.m.	11-14 years of age novice
10:00-11:00 a.m.	7-10 years of age

# Summer Recreation & Camp



Join the Town of Buckeye for a summer full of fun! The Town of Buckeye will be offering the Summer Camp and Summer Recreation Programs that will include daily activities such as arts and crafts projects, games, sports and field trips. Participants must bring a non-perishable sack lunch. Contact Miranda Bearden at 623-349-6350 or mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov for more information.

## Summer Recreation Program:

**Who:** Youth ages 3-13

**When:** June 5-July 28, 2006

**Where:**

Ages 3-5: Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
1003 E. Eason Ave.

1st-5th grades: Bales Elementary  
23400 W. Maricopa Rd.

1st-5th grades: Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
1003 E. Eason Ave.

6th-8th grades: Buckeye Union High School  
902 E. Eason Ave.

**Times:** 8:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

**Fee:** \$40 one time registration fee.  
Includes T-Shirt

**Field Trips:** Field trips are optional and must be paid for by participants.

The summer recreation program is a drop in program. Participants may choose to sign themselves in or out. Participants will need to bring a non-perishable sack lunch with them. Snacks will be available for purchase. **Registration can be done at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center located 1003 E. Eason Ave.**

## Summer Camp Program:

**Who:** Youth who are entering  
1st-8th grades

**When:** May 30 - August 2, 2006

**Times:** 6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**Where:** Sundance Elementary  
23800 W. Hadley Rd.

**Fee:** \$100/week OR \$25/day  
Includes T-Shirt

**Field Trips:** All field trips included

The summer camp program is a licensed all day program. An afternoon snack will be provided. Participants are required to bring a non-perishable sack lunch. Participants must be signed in and out of the program every day. All Field trips are included in the weekly cost, however sign up is on a first come, first serve basis the morning of the trip. The site leader must be notified with any changes in schedule for billing purposes. **To register you must have a copy of the child's immunization records and first week's payment. Registration can be done at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center located at 1003 E. Eason Ave.**

Transportation will be provided for all field trips. The cost of field trips will be collected at the time of sign up. Field trips will include Castles 'N' Coasters, Water World, Roller Skating, Ice Skating and much, much more! Permission forms must be turned in for each trip.

- **Early registration is recommended.**
- Children will be placed in age appropriate groups for field trips and activities.
- Registration must be done at the Town of Buckeye's Dr. Saide Recreation Center located at 1003 E. Eason Ave.
- **Cash or Check ONLY!**

### Summer Recreation vs. Summer Camp:

<b>Summer Recreation:</b>	<b>Summer Camp:</b>
Non-licensed Program	Licensed Program
3 years-8th grade	1st-8th Grades
8:00-2:30 p.m.	6:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
One Time Fee \$40	\$100/week or \$25/day
Multiple Locations	Sundance ONLY
Field Trips Extra	Field Trip Included in Fee
June 5-July 28	May 30-August 2

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# Special Interest Classes

Registration forms available on-line @ [www.buckeyeaz.gov](http://www.buckeyeaz.gov)  
**Contact Miranda Bearden for more information on SIC**  
**classes at 623-349-6350 or [mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov](mailto:mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov)**

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## Totally Tennis

This tennis program is co-sponsored by the USA Team Tennis and will teach the basic racquet handling skills in a "match" atmosphere to allow full participation. All equipment is provided.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** June 28-August 2  
(Wednesdays)  
July 1-August 5  
(Saturdays)

**Ages:** 5 and up  
**Times:** **Wednesdays:**  
5:30-6:30 p.m. (4-7 yrs.)  
6:30-7:30 (8-10 yrs.)

**Saturdays:**  
9:00-10:00 a.m. (5-9 yrs)  
10:00-11:00 a.m. (9-12 yrs)  
12:00-1:00 p.m. (18 & up)

**Location:** **Wednesdays:**  
Bales Elementary  
25400 W. Maricopa Rd.  
**Saturdays:**  
Buckeye High School  
902 Eason Ave.

## Kicks 4 Kids

This class introduces soccer to toddlers. Children can have fun in a non-competitive environment while learning basic soccer skills. Classes provide individual coaching and encouragement, great exercise and lots of fun for a parent and child. Parent involvement is required. Fee includes a T-shirt.

**Resident: \$50 Non-Resident: \$60**

**Class:** July 15-August 19  
(Saturdays)

**Ages:** 2-5 yrs. of age  
**Times:** 9:00-9:45 a.m.

**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Kicks 4 Kids II

This is the advanced class which teaches skills like dribbling, passing, heading & defense with actual soccer scrimmages. This class will help prepare kids for a youth soccer team. Participants should be able to do most activities without their parents. Please wear athletic shoes and bring water. Shin guards are optional. All participants get a T-shirt & medal.

**Resident: \$50 Non-Resident: \$60**

**Class:** July 15-August 19  
(Saturdays)

**Ages:** 2-5 yrs. of age  
**Times:** 10:00 - 10:45 p.m. (6-12)

**Location:** Saide Recreation Center  
1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Lil' Tike's Tumbling

Children will learn body awareness and fine tune motor skills, while developing strength and coordination through summersaults, hand stands and more!

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** May 31-June 21, 2006  
(Mondays & Wednesdays)

**Ages:** 3-6 yrs. Of age  
**Times:** 6:00-6:45 p.m.  
**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
1003 E Eason Ave.

## Karate

This class will demonstrate, teach, apply and require respect, honor, discipline, diligence, teamwork, and the warrior work ethic. We will also begin the Arizona chapter of the TRADITIONAL MARTIAL ARTS INTERNATIONAL competition team, for local national and international competition.

**Resident: \$40 Non-Resident: \$50**

**Class:** June 5-June 28, 2006  
July 3-July 31, 2006  
August 2-August 30, 2006  
(Mondays & Wednesdays)

**Ages:** 6-12 yrs. of age

**Times:** 7:00-8:00 p.m.

**Location:** Sundance Elementary  
25400 W. Hadley Rd.

## Kobujitsu

This class includes basic techniques, correct movement, forms, and application of techniques for all weapons studied.

Kobujitsu is available to both adults and children. Martial arts experience is not at all necessary such as the bo (staff), nunchaku and many more.

**Resident: \$40 Non-Resident: \$50**

**Class:** June 5-June 28, 2006  
July 3-July 31, 2006  
August 2-August 30, 2006  
(Mondays & Wednesdays)

**Ages:** 6-12 yrs. of age

**Times:** 8:00-9:00 p.m.

**Location:** Sundance Elementary  
25400 W. Hadley Rd.

## Instant Piano For Hopelessly Busy People

Some music teachers may not want you to know this, but you don't need years of weekly lessons to learn piano. In just a few hours, you can learn enough secrets of the trade to give you years of musical enjoyment. Learn all the chords you'll need to play any song in this one session.

**Resident: \*\$20 Non-Resident: \*\$30**

**Class:** Wednesday, June 28

**Times:** 6:00-9:30 p.m.

**Location:** Bales Elementary  
25400 W. Maricopa Rd.

**\*Materials fee of \$26 + tax will be collected in class by instructor for workbook and 60 minute practice CD or cassette.**

## Chenille Throw

Join us to make this soft, warm and snuggly chenille throw. This would be a perfect baby gift or for the back of your favorite recliner! It's amazing how you can turn 4 yards of flannel into chenille! Sewing machine required.

**Resident: \$25 Non-Resident: \$35**

**Class:** Saturday, August 19, 2006

**Times:** 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Hip Hop Anime

### With Bryan Kilgore

In this class students will learn a positive way to express themselves in art mediums (pencil, color pencil, water color and charcoal). They will learn a different way to communicate through comic strips. They will also learn some historical facts about Cartoons/Anime. They will learn basic art techniques on how lines make shapes, shapes make objects & objects make pictures.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** June 26-July 17, 2006  
July 31-August 21, 2006

**Ages:** 8-12 yrs. of age

**Times:** 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

**Location:** Freedom Elementary  
22150 W. Sundance Pkwy. South

## Faux Painting: A Fast and Easy Twist on Walls

A professional faux painter with 18 years experience doing homes, businesses, and hotels shares her secrets to popular looks such as "old world, Tuscan, marble, rustic and suede". This unique approach combines faux with a special double roller for a faster, easier and very professional look.

**Resident: \*\$20 Non-Resident: \*\$30**

**Class:** Wednesday, June 28

**Times:** 6:00-8:30 p.m.

**Location:** Bales Elementary  
25400 W. Maricopa Rd.

**\*A \$27 materials fee will be collected in class for the "Twist On Walls" painting kit.**

## Hip Hop and Jazz **NEW!**

Introduction to dance, music and creativity for the beginning dancer. This class will combine aspects of tumbling, beginning jazz and ballet while helping to develop motor skills, rhythm and movement. Children will perform at the completion of the class.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** May 31-June 21  
(Mondays & Wednesdays)

**Ages:** 6-12 yrs. of age

**Times:** 7:00-7:45 p.m.

**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Double 4 Patch **NEW!** Table Runner

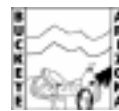
This is a quick and easy project for any level quilter. The color possibilities for decorating with this runner are endless! Rotary cutting experience and sewing machine required.

**Resident: \$25 Non-Resident: \$35**

**Class:** Saturday, June 17, 2006

**Times:** 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

**Location:** Buckeye Community Center  
201 E. Centre Ave.



## Tong Che Bahk Do-Beginning and Intermediate

Tong Che Bahk translates to "Way of Striking" and is a well rounded street essential martial art. Training promotes growth mentally and physically. Students will learn humility, respect, will, confidence, will and courage through mental training. Physical training is done through forms, drills, one step-sparring, and self defense techniques from a wide variety of attacks.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** June 1-June 29  
 July 6-July 27  
 August 1-August 31  
 (Tuesdays and Thursdays)

**Ages:** 6-12 yrs. of age  
**Times:** Beginning: 4:15-5:00 p.m.  
 Intermediate: 5:00 -6:00 p.m.

**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Tong Che Bahk Do-Advanced Class

Tong Che Bahk translates to "Way of Striking" and is a well rounded street essential martial art. Training promotes growth mentally and physically. Students will learn humility, respect, will, confidence, will and courage through mental training. Physical training is done through forms, drills, one step-sparring, and self defense techniques from a wide variety of attacks.

**Resident: \$40 Non-Resident: \$50**

**Class:** June 1-June 29  
 July 6-July 27  
 August 1-August 31  
 (Tuesdays and Thursdays)

**Ages:** Adults 13 & up  
**Times:** 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. (Adult)  
**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Pilates **NEW!**

Pilates is a total body conditioning exercise method combining flexibility and strength – helping you to become long, limber and strong. A key principal of Pilates exercises is an emphasis on developing the body's "core strength", the muscles encompassing the abdomen, lower back, hips and buttocks. These muscle groups are referred to as the body's "powerhouse". All Pilates exercises originate from the powerhouse, which is where all daily movement originates, not just in the limbs.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** June 5-June 28  
 July 3-July 31  
 August 2-August 30  
 (Mondays and Wednesdays)

**Ages:** 14 yrs. of age and up  
**Times:** 5:00-5:45 p.m.  
**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Beginning Jazz and Ballet Basics Made Fun **NEW!**

Children will experience creative movement and expression while learning the basic technique of various forms of dance (ballet and jazz) and participating in dance games. It's the ideal class to focus the energy of little people who love to move. Children will learn a routine throughout the session and perform it on the last day of class.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** **Session 1:** May 25-July 6  
**NO CLASS JUNE 29**  
**Session 2:** July 20-August 24  
 (Thursdays)

**Ages:** 3-5 yrs. of age  
**Times:** 2:45-3:30 p.m. *or*  
 3:30-4:15

**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Beginning Jazz Tap & Ballet Basics Made Fun

Children will experience creative movement and expression while learning the basic technique of various forms of dance (tap, ballet and jazz) and participating in dance games. It's the ideal class to focus the energy of children who love to move.

Children will learn a routine throughout the session and perform it on the last day of class. They are encouraged to wear comfortable clothes they can move in, preferably dance clothes or spandex, and to bring tap or hard-soled shoes and ballet or jazz shoes if they have them.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** **Session 1:** May 25-July 6  
**NO CLASS JUNE 29**  
**Session 2:** July 20-August 24  
 (Thursdays)

**Ages:** 6-9 yrs. of age  
**Times:** 4:15-5:00 p.m. *or*  
 5:00-5:45 p.m.

**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Basics for Beginners

Children will learn the fundamental skills for playing sports such as catching, kicking and throwing with help from an instructor and their parents. This class will help to build hand-eye coordination and teach children social skills along with sportsmanship.

**Resident: \$50 Non-Resident: \$60**

**Class:** July 8-August 12  
 (Saturdays)

**Ages:** 2-5 yrs. of age  
**Times:** 9:00-9:45 a.m.

**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Beginning Clogging

**NEW!** Students will learn basic clogging steps and how to spontaneously put different steps together in a sequence to create a dance combo. A fun way to get your body moving without even realizing you're exercising. Take the class with your teenage/adult child, spouse, or friend for the added value of strengthening a personal relationship! Students will learn a routine throughout the session and perform it on the last day of class. Cloggers are encouraged to wear comfortable clothes they can move in and to bring clogging or hard-soled shoes.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** **Session 1:** May 25-July 6  
**NO CLASS JUNE 29**  
**Session 2:** July 20-August 24  
 (Thursdays)

**Ages:** 14yrs. of age and up  
**Times:** 5:45-6:30

**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Breakdancing **NEW!**

Participants will learn elements of 'breaking' and fundamentals of hip hop. Dancers will learn how to break dance and/or improve their developed skills and abilities.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** June 1-June 29  
 July 6-July 27  
 August 1-August 31  
 (Tuesdays and Thursdays)

**Ages:** 10 yrs. of age and up  
**Times:** 7:30-8:30  
**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Getting Fit With Mr. Ortiz

A balanced exercise program, which will include exercise that will improve strength, stamina, and flexibility. Also, will promote psychological well-being and improve resistance to any health disease caused by not exercising our body.

**Resident: \$35 Non-Resident: \$45**

**Class:** **Session 1:** June 2-July 14  
**Session 2:** July 17-August 25  
 (Monday, Wednesday, Friday)

**Ages:** 5-14 yrs. of age  
 15 and up  
**Times:** 6:00-7:00 p.m. (5-14)  
 7:00-8:00 p.m. (15 and up)  
**Location:** Dr. Saide Recreation Center  
 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## Single Irish Chain Quilt

This is a traditional quilt suited for beginning quilters, but any quilter can enjoy! Learn how to match corners as you create this beautiful quilt. Sewing machine required. Supply list will be available upon registration.

**Resident: \$25 Non-Resident: \$35**

**Class:** Saturday, July 15, 2006  
**Times:** 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.  
**Location:** Buckeye Community Center  
 201 E. Centre Ave.

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Registration forms can be found on page 15 or downloaded at [www.buckeyeaz.gov](http://www.buckeyeaz.gov). For more information, please contact Miranda Bearden at 623-349-6350 or [mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov](mailto:mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov).



## Social Services

### Town of Buckeye Community Action Program (CAP)

#### About Us

The Buckeye Community Action Program (CAP) offers programs to assist citizens to become self-sufficient while they are experiencing a financial hardship or crisis in their lives.

#### **SERVICES FOR THOSE MEETING BASIC CAP REQUIREMENTS IF FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE**

##### **Utility Assistance**

Temporary assistance with utility bills

##### **Rent/Mortgage Assistance**

Assists with past due rent or mortgage payments to avoid eviction or foreclosure

##### **First Month's Move-In Costs**

Assists those in need of first month's move-in costs including rent and utility deposits

##### **Telephone Assistance**

Assists those in need of monthly assistance with telephone bill based on medical need

##### **Food and/or clothing referrals**

##### **Case Management**

##### **Homeowners**

**URRD** Utility repair or replacement of an existing utility related appliance system

##### **Utility Deposits**

##### **Weatherization Utility Repair and Replace**

Energy audit to determine cost-effective measures and identify safety issues

**If you have a cooler or AC Unit, stove, refrigerator, or other appliance that is not working properly and you think you might meet our income guidelines, call us to get further information on our programs, there may be help for you.**

**CALL 623.349.6600 AND ASK FOR THE Community Action Program for eligibility and intake information. Do you know of a senior citizen that lives on a fixed income who may need our assistance, refer them to us.**

## Survey

The Town of Buckeye Community Services Department would like your input to help determine parks and recreation priorities for our community.

We have a new park under construction in the Westpark community that will be completed this coming fall. The park will be 25 acres in size. Some of the amenities will include: 4 lighted softball fields, 2 multi use fields, basketball courts, playground equipment, ramadas, and restroom facilities. The park will be located in the Westpark community Phase 2, off Warner Road.

Also, a consultant is currently preparing a preliminary site plan for the 65 acre parcel at Rainbow and Lower Buckeye Roads, for this reason we have included a survey for you to complete, so please join us in developing this recreational opportunity for the Town of Buckeye.

**Once you have completed this survey please return by Friday, June 2 and you will be entered into a raffle for a chance to WIN \$100 gift certificate to "BEST BUY", the raffle drawing will be held Friday, June 9 and the winner will be notified via telephone. Please return your survey to Town of Buckeye – Community Services, 201 E Centre Ave., Buckeye, AZ 85326. We greatly appreciate your time!**

**This survey will take approximately 10 minutes to complete.**

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**1. In the past 12 months have you or any member of your household visited any of the Town parks?**

☐ Yes (please answer Q1a and 1b) ☐ No (please skip to Q2)

**1a. Approximately how often did you or members of your household visit Town parks during the past year?**

☐ 1 - 5 visits ☐ 11-19 visits ☐ Don't Know  
☐ 6 - 10 visits ☐ 20 or more visits

**1b. Overall, how would you rate the physical condition of ALL the parks in the Town you have visited?**

☐ Excellent ☐ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Poor

**2. Have you or other members of your household participated in any programs offered by the Town of Buckeye over the past 12 months?**

☐ Yes (please answer Q2a 2b and 2c) ☐ No (please skip to Q3)

**2a. How would you rate the quality of the programs you and members of your household participated in?**

☐ Excellent ☐ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Poor

**2b. Please check ALL the ways you learn about the Town of Buckeye Community Services activities.**

<input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper	<input type="checkbox"/> Visited or called a parks/recreation office
<input type="checkbox"/> Fliers	<input type="checkbox"/> Community Services Quarterly Brochure
<input type="checkbox"/> Word of mouth	<input type="checkbox"/> Returning Customer
<input type="checkbox"/> Town website	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____

**2c. Which of the above is your preference of receiving community information?**

\_\_\_\_\_

**3. From the following list, please check ALL the organizations that you and members of your household use for parks and recreation programs and facilities.**

<input type="checkbox"/> Private schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Private clubs (tennis, health & fitness)
<input type="checkbox"/> Churches	<input type="checkbox"/> Neighboring cities/counties/state parks
<input type="checkbox"/> Private youth sports leagues	<input type="checkbox"/> Local University/Community College
<input type="checkbox"/> YMCA	<input type="checkbox"/> Homeowners associations/apartment complex
<input type="checkbox"/> School District	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Town of Buckeye	<input type="checkbox"/> None, do not use any organization

**4. From the list in Question 3, which TWO organizations do you and your household USE THE MOST for recreation and parks programs and facilities? [Write in the numbers from the list in Question 3 for the TWO agencies you use most.]**

\_\_\_\_\_ Organization Use Most

\_\_\_\_\_ Organization Use 2<sup>nd</sup> Most

**5. Please indicate if YOU or any member of your HOUSEHOLD has a need for each of the parks and recreational facilities listed on the following page by circling the YES or NO next to the recreational facility.**

If YES, indicate if the parks and recreational **FACILITIES** in the Town of Buckeye “completely meet”, “partially meet”, or “do not meet” the needs of your household.

IF YES, HOW MUCH ***FACILITY MEETS NEEDS***

		100% <u>Completely</u> <u>Meets Needs</u>	50% <u>Partially</u> <u>Meets Needs</u>	0% <u>Does</u> <u>Not Meet Needs</u>
<b><i>Does your household have a need for:</i></b>				
(A) Small neighborhood parks.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(B) Youth baseball fields.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(C) Youth softball field.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(D) Large community Parks.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(E) Adult softballs fields.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(F) Off-leash dog parks.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(G) Natural areas/nature parks.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(H) Playgrounds.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(I) Indoor multi-purpose recreation centers.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(J) Skateboarding/roller/in-line hockey rink.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(K) Outdoor basketball courts.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(L) Indoor swimming pools/water parks.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(M) Non-paved walking and biking trails .....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(N) Paved walking and biking trails.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(O) Picnic shelters/areas.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(P) Soccer fields.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(Q) Football/lacrosse/field hockey fields.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(R) Indoor fitness and exercise facilities.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(S) Amphitheater/theater.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(T) Tennis Courts.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(U) Frisbee Golf Course.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(V) Outdoor swimming pools/water parks.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(W) Cultural center for art classes, dance, etc.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(X) Public golf course.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(Y) Gymnasiums.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(Z) Skate court/bike court.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5
(AA) Tot lot/splash play area.....	Yes.....No.....	1.....	2.....3.....	4.....5

6. **Which FOUR of the facilities from the list in question 5 are most important to your household?** [Please write in the letters below for your 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th choices using the letters and numbers in question 5 above.]

1st: \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd: \_\_\_\_\_ 3rd: \_\_\_\_\_ 4th: \_\_\_\_\_

7. **For each of the following functions performed by the Town of Buckeye, please indicate if you feel the function is very important, somewhat important, not important, or not sure by circling the corresponding number.**

	<u>Very</u> <u>Important</u>	<u>Somewhat</u> <u>Important</u>	<u>Not</u> <u>Important</u>	<u>Not</u> <u>Sure</u>
(A) Providing places for outdoor sports programs .....	1	2	3	4
(B) Providing places for indoor recreation and fitness activities.....	1	2	3	4
(C) Providing programs for residents of all ages and families.....	1	2	3	4
(D) Operating and maintaining town parks and facilities.....	1	2	3	4
(E) Allocating resources equally to different parts of the community.....	1	2	3	4
(F) Providing trails and linear parks .....	1	2	3	4
(G) Providing places for cultural programs, i.e. theater, arts, dance.....	1	2	3	4
(H) Providing natural areas for wildlife and plants .....	1	2	3	4
(I) Preserving the environment and providing open space .....	1	2	3	4



8. Which **THREE** of the functions listed in Question 7 do you think should be most important for the Town of Buckeye to provide? [Please write in the letters below for your 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choices using the letters from the list in Question #7 above.]

1st

2nd

3rd

9. Please rate your satisfaction on a scale of 1 to 5, where 5 means "Very Satisfied" and 1 means "Very Dissatisfied", with the following parks and recreation services.

	Very Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Neutral	Somewhat Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	Don't Know
(A) The Town's youth athletic program.....	5	4	3	2	1	9
(B) The Town's adult athletic program.....	5	4	3	2	1	9
(C) Other Town recreation programs, such as classes, trips, and special events.....	5	4	3	2	1	9
(D) Ease of registering for programs.....	5	4	3	2	1	9
(E) Fees that are charged for recreation programs.....	5	4	3	2	1	9

10. Listed on the following page are various programs and activities available to Buckeye residents, either within the Town limits or nearby communities. For each program or activity please indicate how many members of your household currently participate in the program and activity and approximately how often you currently participate in the activity. [If more than one person in your household participates in the program or activity, record the average frequency that all members of your household participate.] If you do not participate in an activity or program, write "O" for the # of household users.

		IF YOU PARTICIPATE— HOW OFTEN?				
# of household		Seldom or	Less than	At Least	A few times	Several times
users		Never	Once/Month	Once/Month	Per Month	Per Week
(A) Adult fitness/aerobics classes, weight training.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(B) Running or walking.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(C) Using gyms for basketball, volleyball.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(D) Attending live theater/concert performances.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(E) In-line skating/hockey.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(F) Youth soccer.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(G) Youth classes, e.g. dance, art gymnastics, etc.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(H) Youth flag football.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(I) Adult softball.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(J) Recreational swimming/swim lessons.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(K) Summer recreation /camp programs.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(L) Adult Basketball.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(M) Competitive swimming.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(N) Adult classes, e.g. art, cooking, gardening, etc.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(O) Swimming for exercise/water fitness classes.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(P) Tennis.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(Q) Youth basketball.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(R) Attending community special events.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(S) Senior/adult programs.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(T) Visiting nature areas.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(U) Participating in theater, dance, visual arts.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(V) Sport special events.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(W) Youth volleyball.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(X) Skateboarding/roller/in-line hockey.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....
(Y) Other.....		1.....	2.....	3.....	4.....	5.....

11. Which **FOUR** of the activities and recreation programs listed in Question 10 would you and members of your household participate in more often if programming was available by the Town of Buckeye? [Please write in the letters and/or numbers in the space below for your 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th choices by using the letters and/or numbers from the list in Question 10 above.]

1st More Often

2nd More Often

3rd More Often

4th More Often

12. The following are **POTENTIAL BENEFITS** that you and your household may receive from parks and recreation programs in the community. For each POTENTIAL BENEFIT, please indicate whether you feel the benefit is very important, somewhat important, don't know, or not important to you and members of your household.

<i>Recreation programs should help participants to develop and improve their:</i>	Very <u>Important</u>	Somewhat <u>Important</u>	Not <u>Important</u>	Don't <u>Know</u>
(A) Physical health: protect current and future health.....1		2	3	9
(B) Civic & Social skills: work with others for common good and promote caring relationships.....1		2	3	9
(C) Mental health: cope with positive & negative situations.....1		2	3	9
(D) Moral/ethical skills .....1		2	3	9
(E) Leadership skills .....1		2	3	9
(F) Self worth, self image, feel good about oneself and confidence.....1		2	3	9
(G) Cultural: respect and respond positively to different persons.....1		2	3	9
(H) Understanding of the environment.....1		2	3	9
(I) Motor skills.....1		2	3	9
(J) Responsibility: accountability for actions and results.....1		2	3	9
(K) Belonging & membership: feel valued by others .....1		2	3	9
(L) Mastery & Future: can "make it" and has hope for future success.....1		2	3	9

13. Think about potential benefits as they may apply to persons of different ages. For each of the age groups shown below, please indicate which TWO potential benefits listed in Question 12 are MOST IMPORTANT to persons in those age groups. Use the letters by each benefit. If you have no one in that age group, write the word NONE.

	<u>Most Important</u>	<u>2nd Most Important</u>
Ages 0-5	_____	_____
Ages 6 to 11	_____	_____
Ages 12 to 17	_____	_____
Ages 18 to 54	_____	_____
Ages 55 and over	_____	_____

#### Demographics

14. Including yourself, how many people live in your household? \_\_\_\_\_
15. Counting yourself, how many people in your household are?  
 Under 5 years \_\_\_\_\_ 15 - 19 years \_\_\_\_\_ 35 - 44 years \_\_\_\_\_ 65+ years \_\_\_\_\_  
 5 - 9 years \_\_\_\_\_ 20 - 24 years \_\_\_\_\_ 45 - 54 years \_\_\_\_\_  
 10 - 14 years \_\_\_\_\_ 25 - 34 years \_\_\_\_\_ 55 - 64 years \_\_\_\_\_
16. What is your age? \_\_\_\_\_
17. Your gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female
18. What are your main cross streets? \_\_\_\_\_
19. What subdivision do you reside? \_\_\_\_\_
20. What is your total annual household income? (check one)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (1) Under \$25,000 \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \$75,000 to \$99,999  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \$25,000 to \$49,999 \_\_\_\_\_ (5) \$100,000 or more  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (3) \$50,000 to \$74,999

Name: First \_\_\_\_\_ Last \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**This concludes the survey; Thank you for your time!**  
**Please return your Completed Survey Addressed to:**  
**Buckeye Community Services, 201 E Centre Ave., Buckeye, Arizona 85326**

# Youth & Adult Sports



**Summer Hawk Basketball Camp** The Town of Buckeye Youth Sports Division and Buckeye Union High School is offering a summer basketball camp for youth and teens beginning June 5 – June 15 at Buckeye Union High School. This camp is a great way for your child to learn the basic fundamentals of the game of basketball. Campers will be instructed by Chris Stark, Buckeye Union High School Varsity Boy's Basketball Coach and 2004 West Valley Coach of the Year, as well as, other members of both the Varsity Boy's and Girl's Basketball Coaching Staff. Each camper will receive a camp t-shirt, participation certificate, and the opportunity to win daily prizes. Campers can choose to register for both sessions or just one session. The registration fee for one session is \$45 Buckeye residents / \$55 for non-residents. The registration fee for both sessions is \$65 for Buckeye residents / \$75 for non-residents. Registrations will be accepted at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center, 1003 E. Eason Ave. Registration deadline is Friday, June 2 at 5:00pm.

## **Camp Sessions**

Camp Session 1 – June 5 - June 8  
Camp Session 2 – June 12<sup>t</sup> – June 15



## **Groups/Times**

Rookie Hawks - Incoming 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Graders - 8:00am – 9:30am  
Junior Hawks - Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Graders - 9:30am – 11:00am  
Senior Hawks - Incoming 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Graders - 11:00am – 1:30pm

**Registration is based on the grade the child/teen will start in August 2006.**

**For more information, call (623) 349-6352 or Chris Stark, Camp Director, at (623) 327-2207.**

## **Summer Youth Basketball League**

The Town of Buckeye Youth Sports Division is offering Youth Basketball for boys and girls ages 5 – 14. In this instructional league participants will learn the value of teamwork, good sportsmanship, along with the how-to's of hoops. Games will be played weekday evenings at local Buckeye schools beginning July 5 – July 27. A registration fee of \$40 for Buckeye residents / \$50 for non-residents will be accepted at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center, 1003 E. Eason Ave. The registration fee will include 8 scheduled games, team jersey, and a participation award. Registration is based on the child's age as of July 5, 2006.

## **Basketball Divisions**

<i>Pee Wee Coed</i>	5 & 6 year olds	<i>Rookie Coed</i>	10 – 12 year olds
<i>Midget Coed</i>	7 – 9 year olds	<i>Junior Coed</i>	13 – 15 year olds

**Parent Meeting** A parent MUST attend the parent orientation scheduled for Tuesday, June 27 at 6:00pm at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center 1003 E. Eason Ave.

## **Volunteer Coaches Meeting**

Monday, June 19 at 6:00pm at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center located at 1003 E. Eason Ave.

**WE NEED YOUR HELP!** – Help us serve the children in our community. We are seeking volunteer coaches for youth basketball. Coaches will be provided with a coaching education and certification program through the National Alliance for Youth Sports. Fingerprinting and background checks are required.

## **Open Gym-FREE!**

Buckeye Union High School Gymnasium, located at 902 E. Eason Ave., will be open to the public for "Open Gym" on Saturday mornings beginning June 10 – July 29. It is a self-directed, unstructured program for both individuals and group participation. Participation is at your own risk. It is not designed for team practice, but is a great place to shoot some hoops, bump some volleys, and have a pick-up game.

Adults (ages 18 +) 9:00am – 11:00am

All Ages 11:00am – 1:00pm

## **Summer Adult Basketball**

**Game Location:** Buckeye Union High School Gymnasium  
**Leagues:** Monday & Wednesday - Open league  
Tuesday & Thursday – Over 35+ league

**Game times** 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, & 9:00 p.m.

**Registration:** April 3 - until filled

**Registration Fee:** \$250/team

League information and roster forms can be picked up at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center or downloaded from our website [www.buckeyeaz.gov](http://www.buckeyeaz.gov). The registration fee is \$250 per team for all leagues. Registration will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis and is open until filled. 8 team maximum per league. League play begins the week of June 11, 2006

## **Summer Adult Softball**

**Game Location:** Earl Edgar Fields  
**Leagues:** Tuesday - Men's "D"  
Friday - Coed "Rec"

**Game times:** 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, & 9:00 p.m.

**Registration:** April 3 - until filled

**Registration Fee:** \$250/team

League information and roster forms can be picked up at the Recreation Center or downloaded from our website [www.buckeyeaz.gov](http://www.buckeyeaz.gov). The registration fee is \$250 per team for all leagues. Both leagues can accommodate up to 8 teams. Registration will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis and is open until filled. League play begins the week of June 11, 2006

**For more information on sports, contact  
Jennifer Urbaszewski-Grono at 623-349-6352 or  
[jurbaszewski@buckeyeaz.gov](mailto:jurbaszewski@buckeyeaz.gov)**

**Registration forms can be found on page  
15 or downloaded at  
[www.buckeyeaz.gov](http://www.buckeyeaz.gov).**

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310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street  
Buckeye, AZ 85326  
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# Library Programs and Services

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**Yard Sale:** The Buckeye Public Library holds a yard sale on the third Friday of every month. Proceeds from the yard sale fund library programs and materials. Donations are accepted daily during regular library hours.

When: The third Friday of every month  
Time: 7:00 am – 11:30 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

## Library Hours:

**Mon, Wed, Fri - 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.**  
**Tues, Thurs - 9:00 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.**  
**Saturday- 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

**Teen Advisory Board Meetings:** Attention teens ages 12 – 18! Become an active supporter of your library and join the Teen Advisory Board. Help design and run library programs for teens, volunteer for library events, and help create and contribute to a library newsletter written by teens for teens. Member meetings are held monthly. Ask to join at the circulation desk.

When: The third Thursday of every month  
Time: 4:00 – 4:45 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**Card Making Classes:** Kids, teens and adults, join us for fun and creative “make-and-take” classes on stamping and card making. Each session will include materials and instructions for making three creative greeting cards. **The cost is \$1.00 per card for kids and \$2.00 per card for adults.** Space is limited. Sign up at the circulation desk.

When: Thursday, June 22nd  
Thursday, July 20<sup>th</sup>  
Thursday, August 24<sup>th</sup>

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

Time: 5:00 – 6:00 pm (Kid’s session ages 9-15)  
6:30 – 8:00 pm (Adult session ages 16 and up)

**Summer Reading Program – Opening Day Celebration:** To promote children’s reading during the summer, we are offering an exciting summer reading program, “Read Your Way to the Ballpark” sponsored by The Arizona Diamondbacks and The Arizona Republic. The program runs from **Tuesday, May 30<sup>th</sup> through Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup>.** We will launch this summer’s program with a fun-filled day of refreshments, prize raffles and all the materials you will need to get started.

When: Tuesday, May 30<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 9:00 am – 8:30 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**Cowboy Presentation:** The Buckeye Public Library is thrilled to host Gary Sprague, “Arizona’s Singing Cowboy” and his horse Steele for an evening of music, horse communication and fun. Don’t miss out on this amazing show for all ages!

When: Thursday, June 8<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 6:00 – 7:00 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**Children’s Musical Show:** Join Mary Hollan, a talented and enthusiastic performer, for a musical program for children where kids can move their bodies while learning rhythm, dance and songs. Children of all ages will love this show.

When: Tuesday, June 13<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 10:00 – 10:45 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**Children’s Comedy and Magic Show:** Join us for silly fun and magic as we host “Scooter Scott.” He has worked at Disney World as a performer and voice talent. His show includes voices, puppets, magic, comedy and goofy kid fun.

When: Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 10:30 – 11:15 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**Diamondback Organist Bobby Freeman:** Bobby Freeman, organist for the Arizona Diamondbacks, along with Baxter, the Diamondback mascot, will visit the Buckeye Public Library to perform and help us celebrate our fun summer reading program.

When: Tuesday, June 27<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 10:30 – 11:15 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**Kid’s Water Fun Day:** The Buckeye Fire Department will help us host a Kid’s Water Fun Day at Kell Park, next to the Buckeye Public Library. Join us for fun, water games, and refreshments.

When: Thursday, July 6<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 10:00 – 11:30 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**Magic Show:** Join us for magic, juggling and an amazing yo-yo exhibition performed by the talented “Magical Michael Steele.” Kids of all ages will enjoy this show.

When: Tuesday, July 11<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 2:00 – 2:50 pm

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**Arizona Alphabet Book Presentation:** Author, Barbara Gowan will provide a hands-on learning experience about our state, for elementary age children. She will present using her Arizona Alphabet Apron of pockets filled with many Arizona themed surprises!

When: Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 10:00 – 10:40 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**“Travel Arizona” for Kids:** Children ages 8 – 15 will enjoy a hands-on presentation by author, Barbara Gowan, as she takes them through a fun-filled and informative “journey” through Arizona using her magnetic map.

When: Tuesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 11:00 – 11:40 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

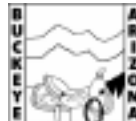
**Children’s Story Teller:** Theater artist and teacher, Rosie Stevens Witcher, brings theater elements and a “flair for drama” to her story telling presentations for children of all ages.

When: Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup>  
Time: 10:30 – 11:15 am

Where: Buckeye Public Library  
310 N. 6<sup>th</sup> Street

**For more information on Library Programs, please contact Tiffany Schmidt at 623-349-6303 or [tschmidt@buckeyeaz.gov](mailto:tschmidt@buckeyeaz.gov)**

# Senior & Adult Programs



## Buckeye Senior Program:

Spend your summer out of the heat participating in the Buckeye Senior Program. Climate controlled facility, air conditioned vans, senior outings to the mountains and many more cool activities are offered through the Community Services Department. The senior program offers a variety of social and recreational activities for its participants. Programs include monthly fieldtrips, special events, arts and crafts projects, physical exercise activities and much more. There is no registration or membership fee to join the program. The community center is open Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. and is located at 201 E. Centre Ave.

## Monthly outings and Special Events:

### **Arizona Casino Outings**

Take a bus ride with the senior center program as they visit one of Arizona's casinos. A different casino is visited each month and transportation is provided.

**August 10-Mazatal Casino**

### **Mystery Trips**

The Buckeye Community Center Mystery Trips take place every month. A new place is visited every month that no one knows about until they are on their way. Anyone with a sense of adventure should hop on board!

Upcoming Mystery Trips are:

**June 20, 2006**

**July 18, 2006**

### **Beat the Heat**

Come exploring with us as the Buckeye Senior Program escapes the summer heat and heads up to the cool Northern Arizona Mountains. Visit a town/city each month, do a little shopping, visit a museum...who knows and who cares?! You'll be cool!

### **Special Events:**

Different month, different special event. Each month the senior program hosts a special event: 4th of July, Father's day and many more are just around the corner. However, you must visit the community center to find out just what it is that we are celebrating!

### **Buckeye Adult Program:**

The Town of Buckeye Adult Program is open to all Buckeye residents 18 years of age and older. Participants can't take part in monthly outings and special events hosted by the Community Services Department. Keep on the look out for upcoming special events and outings.

## Parks Information

**Ramada Reservations:** Ramadas are available for reservation at Town Park and Kell Park. There is no charge to reserve a ramada. Contact Dave Showen at 623-349-6605 or dshowen@buckeyeaz.gov for more information.

### **Athletic Fields:**

Effective May 1, 2006 the cost to reserve each athletic field will be as follows:

**With lights: \$20/hour (2 hour minimum)**

**Without lights: \$10/hour (2 hour minimum)**

These fees will help to offset the cost of utilities and will allow us to upgrade the fields. To make a field reservation, please call Dave Showen at 623-349-6605 or dshowen@buckeyeaz.gov.

### **New Parks Around the Corner:**

The new park located in the Westpark community will be starting construction this summer with plans to be completed this fall. The park will be 25 acres in size. Some of the amenities will include: 4 lighted softball fields, 2 multi use fields, basketball courts, playground equipment, ramadas, and restroom facilities. The park will be located in the Westpark community Phase 2, off Warner Road.

A consultant is preparing a preliminary site plan for the 65 acre parcel at Rainbow and Lower Buckeye Roads. **In this newsletter there is a survey for you to complete, so join us in developing this recreational opportunity for the Town of Buckeye.**

### **Questions or Concerns?**

Please feel free to contact Parks Foreman, Dave Showen with any questions, comments or concerns you have regarding any of the Town's Park facilities at 623-349-6605 or dshowen@buckeyeaz.gov



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# Teen Programs

Contact Miranda Bearden for more information on Teen Programs at 623-349-6350 or mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov

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## Teen Scene: Open Mic Night at the Pool:

Think you're the next American Idol? Come prove it at Teen Scene's Open Mic Night at the Pool. Choose from a selection of karaoke songs or bring in your own for our live DJ. The best acts will receive prizes such as a stereo, CD player, gift certificates and much more!

**Date:** Friday, June 17, 2006  
**Time:** 6:00-9:00 p.m.  
**Location:** Buckeye Aquatic Center  
 207 N. 9th St.

**Admission:** \$3 (Snacks will be available for purchase)  
**Ages:** 12-17 yrs.

## Teen Scene: 4th of July Cook Out:

Join the Town of Buckeye Community Services Department and Teen Scene for the 4th of July Cook Out at the Buckeye Aquatics Center. Enjoy your choice of a hamburger or hotdog, chips and a drink while staying cool in the pool and listening to today's hottest music. Admission will include meal. Extra snacks and drinks will be available for purchase.

**Date:** Saturday, July 8, 2006  
**Time:** 6:00-9:00 p.m.  
**Location:** Buckeye Aquatic Center  
 207 N. 9th St.

**Admission:** \$5 (Snacks will be available for purchase)  
**Ages:** 12-17 yrs.

## Teen Scene: End of the Summer Hawaiian Luau:

End the summer with a bang! Come enjoy the last Teen Scene Pool Party of the summer Hawaiian style. There will be a limbo and hoola hoop contest, so come prepared to compete for such prizes as gift certificates, c.d.'s and much more!

**Date:** Saturday, August 19, 2006  
**Time:** 6:00-9:00 p.m.  
**Location:** Buckeye Aquatic Center  
 207 N. 9th St.

**Admission:** \$3 (Snacks will be available for purchase)  
**Ages:** 12-17 yrs.

## Special Events

### Lil' Squirts Pool Party

Join us at the Buckeye Aquatics Center for a day of fun, music, games and prizes for Buckeye's Lil' Squirts and their parents. The pool party will take place in the beach front area and will feature an assortment of fun-filled games and activities! **No children over the age of 5 will be permitted. Each child must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Contact Miranda Bearden at 623-386-2588 x29 or mbearden@buckeyeaz.gov**

**Dates:** Saturday, June 17, 2006  
 Saturday, July 8, 2006  
 Saturday, August 19

**Admission:** \$3/child, Parents Free!  
**Time:** 9:00-11:30 a.m.  
**Location:** Buckeye Aquatic Center  
 207 N. 9th St.

**Ages:** 5 & under

### Pepsi Pitch Hit & Run (ages 7-14)

Saturday, May 6 - 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. at Earl Edgar Field(s). Drop in and demonstrate your pitching, hitting and running skills. Top scorers in each age group advance to a Sectional Competition. Registration will be taken the day of the event. Contact Jennifer Urbaszewski-Grono at 623-349-6352 or jurbaszewski@buckeyeaz.gov for more information.



### Friday Flick's

All summer movies take place at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center, 1003 E. Eason Ave. You can bring food and beverages (no glass please) or purchase popcorn and goodies from the concession area. **These flicks are FREE!**

**June 9, 2006, 7:30pm**  
**A Family Comedy Movie rated PG**

**June 30, 2006 7:30pm**  
**A Children's Classic Movie rated PG**

**July 14, 2006 7:30pm**  
**A Science Fiction/Action Family Movie Based on a classic children's novel rated PG**

**July 28, 2006 7:30pm**  
**Children's Action Cartoon rated G**

**Please Call Jennifer Urbaszewski-Grono at 623-349-6352 for Movie Titles**

### Buckeye Bicycle Rodeo

Buckeye Community Services will host a free bicycle safety clinic for cyclist's ages 5 - 14, Saturday August 12, 2006 at Buckeye Union High School parking lot. Bicycle registration begins at 9:00am. The rodeo will feature bike safety inspections, optional quick tune-ups, helmet fitting, a safety lecture about the rules of the road, followed by a ride on a miniature "chalk street" obstacle course where young cyclists are shown where and how to apply the rules. Prizes will be available to participants wearing their helmets! Contact Jennifer Urbaszewski-Grono at 623-349-6352 or jurbaszewski@buckeyeaz.gov for more information.



# Registration Form

Please include a copy of your child's birth certificate when registering for sports.

Registration forms may be mailed in or dropped off at the Dr. Saide Recreation Center located at 1003 E. Eason Ave., Buckeye, AZ 85326. Check, cash or money order is accepted. Please print when completing the information below.

Participant Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Participant First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Information: Does the participant have any medical condition that the instructor should be aware of? (i.e., Diabetes, ADD, asthma, seizures, etc.) If yes, please explain:

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## Program Registration

## Registration Fees

Last Name:	First Name:
Activity:	Session/Dates:
Birth Date/Age:	Please Circle: M / F

Special Requests: (team/coach)
Nearest/Designated School:
T-Shirt Size: (Please Circle) Youth Med. Youth Large Adult Small Adult Med. Adult Large Adult XL

Activity Fee:
\$1 Donation Youth Assist.: (Optional)
Total:

Last Name:	First Name:
Activity:	Session/Dates:
Birth Date/Age:	Please Circle: M / F

Special Requests: (team/coach)
Nearest/Designated School:
T-Shirt Size: (Please Circle) Youth Med. Youth Large Adult Small Adult Med. Adult Large Adult XL

Activity Fee:
\$1 Donation Youth Assist.: (Optional)
Total:

Last Name:	First Name:
Activity:	Session/Dates:
Birth Date/Age:	Please Circle: M / F

Special Requests: (team/coach)
Nearest/Designated School:
T-Shirt Size: (Please Circle) Youth Med. Youth Large Adult Small Adult Med. Adult Large Adult XL

Activity Fee:
\$1 Donation Youth Assist.: (Optional)
Total:

**Total Amount Due: \$\_\_\_\_\_ Cash \$\_\_\_\_\_ Check \$\_\_\_\_\_ Check Number \_\_\_\_\_**

**\_\_\_\_\_ YES, I want to be considered for a Volunteer COACH position in \_\_\_\_\_ (sport)  
and I am aware that I must complete a coach application and be finger printed**

I/we hereby release and forever discharge the Town of Buckeye, an Arizona municipal corporation, its elected and appointed officials, directors, officers, boards, commissions, agents, representatives, servants and employees, and any and all other persons, firms or corporations who are or might be liable from any and all claims of any kind or character which I/we have or may have against them due to my participation, or my child's participation, in a Town of Buckeye recreation program. The waiver includes all damages, losses, costs, expenses, and injuries that allegedly occur during the course of the recreation program. In that regard, I/we consent to indemnify, defend and hold harmless to the fullest extent permitted by law the foregoing persons and entities from any loss or damages, including reasonable attorney's fees and litigation expenses, which may be incurred by them in the event any such claims are asserted against them or any of them. I/we understand that medical claims are my/our responsibility. This waiver does not extend to any such claim or liability that is caused by the sole and exclusive intentional acts or gross negligence of the Town of Buckeye, its officers, employees, or agents.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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**- Rita Balicki**

7 years ago we bought our home from a for sale by owner and did not have to deal with any of the negotiations. Using the same agent, we our listing our home with the **1% program** and will save up to **\$17,000**.

**- The Campbells**

We saved over **\$15,000** dollars and additional savings with our relocation cost of **\$1,200**. Being retired and on a fixed income this was a real blessing!

**- Max and Lilian**

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